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(NIGERIAN EDUCATORS PROTEST)

(TEXT) NEW YORK, 12 JAN--THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT HAS

CONVINED AT THE SUPPLY OF AMERICAN ARMS TO THE BIAFRA SECESSIONISTS

AND THE CIA SUPPLIES FUNDS TO PURCHASE WEAPONS, SAYS A LETTER OF

PROTEST AGAINST THE UNITED STATES POLICY IN NIGERIA, WRITTEN BY

A GROUP OF NIGERIAN EDUCATORS AND PUBLISHED IN THE BALTIMORE

NEWSPAPER AFRO-AMERICAN.

THERE IS EVIDENCE TO SHOW THAT MANY OF THE WEAPONS BOUGHT BY
THE SECESSIONISTS WERE PAID FOR IN THE UNITED STATES DOLLARS
THROUGH THE CIA. THE AMERICAN "DO-GOODERS" CONTINUE TO BURST THE
BLOCKADE BY RUNNING ARMS TO THE REBELS FROM SAO TOME AND LIBREVILLE.
THEY HAVE USED VARIOUS RELIEF AGENCIES FOR THE CLANDESTINE OPERATIONS
OF THE CIA IN NIGERIA, THE LETTER SAYS. THE UNITED STATES IN
INTERESTED IN THE WAR IN NIGERIA CONTINUING FOR AS LONG AS
POSSIBLE. IN THIS WAY THEY SEEK TO HAMPER THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE

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UNITED AND PROSPEROUS NIGERIA. BUT THE PEOPLE OF NIGERIA, THE

LETTER CONTINUES, BELIEVE THEY CAN SURVIVE ANY INTRIGUES, NO RPT NOT

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